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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 9th of *April*, 1762,

PRESENT,

The KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majeſty's Order in Council of the 19th of October laſt, for prohibiting the Exporting out of this Kingdom, or carrying Coaſtwiſe, Gunpowder, Salt Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, will expire upon the 29th Day of this Inſtant April — And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majeſty's Service, and the Safety of this Kingdom, that the ſaid Prohibition ſhould be continued for ſome longer Time; His Majeſty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby Order, Require, Prohibit and Command, That no Perſon or Perſons whatſoever (except the Maſter General, Lieutenant General, or Principal Officers of the Ordnance for His Majeſty's Service) do, at any Time, during the Space of Six Months, to commence from the ſaid 29th Day of this Inſtant April, preſume to tranſport into any Parts out of this Kingdom, or carry Coaſtwiſe, any Gunpowder, Salt Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, or ſhip or lade any Gunpowder, Salt Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, on Board any Ship or Veſſel, in order to tranſporting the ſame into any Parts beyond the Seas, or carrying the ſame Coaſtwiſe, without Leave or Permiſſion in that Behalf firſt obtained from His Majeſty, or His Privy Council, upon Pain of incurring and ſuffering the reſpective Forfeitures and Penalties inflicted by an Act paſſed in the Twenty Ninth Year of His late Majeſty's Reign, entituled, "An Act to impower His Majeſty to prohibit the Exportation of Salt Petre, and to enforce the Law for impowering His Majeſty to prohibit the Exportation of Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms and Ammunition; and alſo to impower His Majeſty to reſtrain the carrying Coaſtwiſe of Salt Petre, Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition." And the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, the Commiſſioners for Executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Maſter General of the Ordnance, and His Majeſty's Secretary at War, are to give the neceſſary Directions herein, as to them may reſpectively appertain.

Hen. Fane.

AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 2d Day of *April*, 1762,

PRESENT,

The KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majeſty was graciouſly pleaſed, by His Royal Proclamation bearing Date the Second Day of February laſt, to Promiſe and Declare (amongſt other Things) That the Bounties of Six Pounds for every Able Seaman, and of Three Pounds for every Ordinary Seaman, ſhould be paid to every ſuch Able and Ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Eighteen Years, who ſhould, on or before the Thirty-firſt Day of March laſt, enter themſelves to ſerve in His Majeſty's Royal Navy, either with the Captains or Lieutenants of His Majeſty's Ships, or the Chief Officers on Board ſuch Tenders as ſhould be employed for Raiſing Men for the Service of the Royal Navy; and that a Bounty of Thirty Shillings ſhould be paid to every Able-bodied Landman, not above the Age of Thirty-five, nor under the Age of Eighteen Years, who ſhould, on or before the ſaid Thirty-firſt Day of March laſt, in like Manner, voluntarily enter themſelves to ſerve in His Majeſty's Royal Navy; and that a Reward of Five Pounds for every Able, and Two Pounds Ten Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, ſhould be paid to any Perſon, who ſhould diſcover any Seaman or Seamen who ſhould ſecret themſelves, ſo that ſuch Seaman or Seamen ſhould be taken for His Majeſty's ſaid Service—And whereas the Time limited for paying the ſaid Bounties and Rewards expired on the Thirty-firſt of March laſt; and it being judged expedient for His Majeſty's Service, that the ſame ſhould be continued to be paid from the ſaid 31ſt of March, to the 31ſt of May next; and that ſome Alterations ſhould be made in the Manner of Payment of the ſaid Bounties and Rewards—His Majeſty, with the Advice of His Privy-Council, doth therefore Order; and it is hereby accordingly ordered, That the aforementioned Bounties of Six Pounds for every Able Seaman, and of Three Pounds for every Ordinary Seaman, be continued to be paid to every ſuch Able and Ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Eighteen Years, who ſhall, on or before the 31ſt Day of May next, voluntarily enter themſelves to ſerve in His Majeſty's Navy, either with the Captains or Lieutenants of His Majeſty's Ships, or the Chief Officers on Board ſuch Tenders as ſhall be employed for Raiſing Men for the Service of His Majeſty's Navy; And alſo, that the Bounty of Thirty Shillings be continued to be paid to every Able-bodied Landman not above the Age of Thirty-five, nor under the Age of Eighteen Years, who ſhall, on or before the ſaid 31ſt Day of May next, voluntarily enter themſelves in like Manner to ſerve in His Majeſty's Royal Navy; And that ſuch reſpective Sums be paid to all ſuch Seamen and Landmen immediately upon their Entring, by the Officers, employed in Raiſing Men for His Majeſty's Fleet, with whom ſuch Seamen and Landmen ſhall reſpectively enter; and where there is not any Regulating Officer, by the Clerk of the Cheque or Naval Officer of any of His Majeſty's Dock-yards—And His Majeſty doth hereby further Order, That the aforementioned Rewards of Five Pounds for every Able, and Two Pounds Ten Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, be continued to be paid to any Perſon who ſhall diſcover any Seaman or Seamen who may ſecret themſelves, ſo that ſuch Seaman or Seamen ſhall be taken for His Majeſty's ſaid Service on or before the ſaid 31ſt Day of May next, by any Sea Officers employed for raiſing Men, or be brought to any of the ſaid Officers, or to the Clerks of the Cheque or Naval Officer at any of His Majeſty's Dock-yards: The ſaid Rewards to be paid for any Seaman or Seamen ſo diſcovered and taken

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taken in and about London, by the Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy; and at the Out-Ports, by the Naval Officers where there are any; and where there are no Naval Officers, by the Officers employed in Raiſing Men; or, in Caſe of there not being any ſuch Officer or Officers, by the Collectors of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms, immediately upon a Certificate being produced to the ſaid Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy, Naval Officers, Officers employed in procuring Men, or Collectors of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms reſpectively, by the Perſon or Perſons who may make Diſcovery of any Seaman or Seamen as aforeſaid, certifying his Name, and the Name or Names, and Number of Seamen procured in Conſequence of his Diſcovery; and the ſaid Certificate to be given by ſuch Officer as may take ſuch Seaman or Seamen for His Majeſty's Service —Whereof all Perſons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themſelves accordingly.

Hen. Fane.

The following Addreſs of the Magiſtrates and Town-Council of the City of Edinburgh, has been preſented to His Majeſty by James Coutts, Eſq; their Repreſentative in Parliament: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Magiſtrates and Town-Council of the City of Edinburgh, in Council aſſembled.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WITH Hearts filled with Loyalty and Gratitude to the beſt of Kings, we beg Leave to approach your Throne, to congratulate your Majeſty upon the great Succeſs of your Arms againſt your Enemies.

The Conqueſt of Martinico, of ſuch Advantage to the Trade of Great Britain, and acquired with ſo ſmall a Loſs of your Majeſty's Subjects, but with true Britiſh Valour, both of your Sea and Land Forces, muſt fill every loyal Heart with Joy; and at ſo critical a Conjuncture, when the inveterate and hereditary Malice of the Bourbon Family had united their Councils to obſtruct a Peace which your Majeſty's Magnanimity offered, to heal the bleeding Wounds of Europe, muſt convince all your Majeſty's Enemies, how vain their Attempts are, while conſummate Wiſdom fills the Throne, to plan and direct the Operations of a brave and free People.

That Almighty God may continue to bleſs your Councils, and proſper your Arms, in order to obtain an honourable and advantageous Peace; that your Majeſty may long reign the Darling of your own Subjects, and the Dread of all your Enemies, and of the Foes of Liberty; and that our Poſterity may have continued to them the perfect Happineſs we now enjoy, under a Race of Princes deſcended from your Majeſty and our moſt Gracious Queen, ſhall ever be the moſt ardent Prayer of,

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

Your Majeſty's moſt loyal and faithful Subjects and Servants, the Magiſtrates and Town Council of your City of Edinburgh.

Signed in our Preſence, and by our Appointment, the City's Seal being affixed, this Fourteenth of April, 1762.

James Stuart, Præſes.

Duſſeldorff, April 19. The 16th the French threw a Bridge of Boats over the Rhine oppoſite Deutz; and Yeſterday Morning early the three Regiments in Garriſon at Cologne, making 9 Battalions, croſſed the Bridge to march towards the Dutchy of Berg; but the Colours, with ſome Piquets, remain at Cologne. The Order, that came to thoſe Troops to march in the Night between the 17th and 18th, was followed the 18th in the Afternoon, by an Order to ſend away their Tents and Baggages.

As the nine Battalions are but weak, and have left ſome Piquets, what are marched do not form much above five compleat Battalions. The Deſertion is very great.

The Boats with Forage begin to appear on the River; a Magazine of Hay is forming at Cologne; and another at Rodekircke, a League from thence.

Hamburgh, April 20. We have received Advice, that a Ceſſation of Arms, for two Months, was ſigned the 7th Inſtant at Ribnitz, in the Dutchy of Mecklenbourg Schewrin, by the Prince of Wurtemberg on the Part of his Pruſſian Majeſty, and by Lieutenant General Ehrenſchwerdt on that of the King of Sweden. A ſeparate Convention was likewiſe agreed upon the ſame Day at Ribnitz, for the free Intercourſe of Commerce, both by Sea and Land, which was ſigned by the Pruſſian Lieutenant Colonel L'Homme de Courbière, and by the Swediſh Adjutant General de Grevenhagen, and the Firſt Auditor Fiſcher.

The Daniſh Army keeps the ſame Poſition near Lubeck; and the Head Quarters are ſtill at Morie.

Munſter, April 21. This Moment we hear, that the Caſtle of Arenſberg was taken the 19th at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon.

The following is the Account we have received of what paſſed on that Occaſion.

Our Batteries were finiſhed and mounted on the 18th, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon; upon which the French Commandant, M. Muret, offered to capitulate, on Condition to march out of the Place on the 21ſt, with all the Military Honours, in Caſe he was not relieved during that Interval of Time. As it was known that the French Troops were in Motion, this Delay could not be granted him, on the Part of his Serene Highneſs.

The Night between the 18th and 19th, every Thing was quiet on both Sides; but on the 19th, at Six o'Clock in the Morning, our Batteries began to play. At Nine o'Clock, before any Part of the Place had been ſet on Fire, the Hereditary Prince ordered an Offer to be made to the Commandant, to march out with all the Military Honours, and two Pieces of Cannon; but M. Muret having haughtily declined This, we began to redouble our Fire; and about Noon the Caſtle was in Flames, and the Town likewiſe, which increaſed in a ſhort Time to that Degree, that M. Muret cried out for Mercy; and getting over the Walls of the Caſtle with his Garriſon, ſurrendered at Diſcretion, to the Number of 9 Officers, and 231 private Men, and 26 Pieces of Cannon. The Enemy had not one ſingle Man killed, nor we neither; but a Captain of the Britiſh Legion has had his Leg ſhot off.

Hague, April 23. The French Troops, along the Rhine, have been for ſome Days paſt in a great Alarm, upon an Excurſion made by the Hereditary Prince of Brunſwick, the Detail of which is not yet come in: We are informed however, in the mean While, that his Serene Highneſs had attacked the Caſtle of Arensberg on the 19th; after ſome firing, he offered the Honours of War to M. Muret, the Commanding Officer, and his Garriſon, which he refuſed; and the firing being renewed, he was, a few Hours afterwards, obliged to ſurrender at Diſcretion. The French looked upon this Poſt as very important for their Communication between Weſel and Duſſeldorff; and the Loſs of it will be very inconvenient to them, whilſt they are preparing to open the Campaign.

Whitehall, April 27.

The King has been pleaſed to order Writs and Letters Patent to be paſſed under the Great Seal of His Majeſty's Kingdom of Ireland, for the Tranſlation of the Right Reverend Father in God, Doctor William Gore, Biſhop of the united Biſhopricks of Clonfert and Kilmacduagh, to the Biſhoprick of Elphin, now vacant by the Death of Doctor Edward Synge, late Biſhop thereof.

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The King has been pleaſed to order Writs and Letters Patent, for the Promotion of John Oſwald, Doctor in Divinity, to the united Biſhopricks of Clonfert and Kilmacduagh, now vacant by the Tranſlation of the Right Reverend Father in God Doctor William Gore, late Biſhop thereof, to the Biſhoprick of Elphin.

Whitehall, April 27.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint Henry Reade, Eſq; to be a Commiſſioner, together with Edward Younge, Chriſtopher Rigby, John Trenchard, John Fane, George Quarme, and Thomas Wyndham, Eſqrs. Commiſſioners for Taxes.

The King has been pleaſed to preſent Corfield Clare, Clerk, Batchelor of Arts, to the Rectory of Alvechurch in the County and Dioceſe of Worceſter, void by the Promotion of Charles Lyttelton, Doctor of Laws, to the Sea of Carliſle.

New Bond Street, April 24, 1762.

The Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Angleſey are deſired to meet at the Houſe of Mrs. Owen, at Lanerchmeth, at Twelve of the Clock, on Tueſday the 11th of May, to conſider of and carry into Execution an Act paſſed in this preſent Seſſion of Parliament relating to the raiſing of the Militia.

Nic. Bayly.

Admiralty Office, April 24, 1762.

His late Majeſty having been graciouſly pleaſed, by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10th of June, 1733, to eſtabliſh certain Rules and Orders for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commiſſion and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy: Theſe are to give Notice, that Copies of the ſaid Rules and Orders are lodged with the Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Navy at Chatham, Portſmouth, and Plymouth; as alſo with the Clerks of the Checque at Deptford, Woolwich, and Sheerneſs; and with the Naval Officers at Harwich, Deal, and Kinſale; where all ſuch Widows as intend to lay in their Claims, may be informed of all Particulars which entitle them to the Benefit of the ſaid Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Purpoſe. But ſuch Widows as live at too great a Diſtance from the Places above-mentioned, may apply by Letter to Mr. Joſeph Belſon, at the Admiralty Office, who will ſend them all neceſſary Information. And the Governors of the ſaid Charity intending to diſtribute to the Widows of Sea Officers who died before the 30th of Auguſt 1732, as well as to the Widows of thoſe who died ſince that Time, whoſe Circumſtances come within the Rules of the Eſtabliſhment, ſuch Monies as may be due to them on the 31ſt of next Month; This is to give Notice thereof, that any Widows who have not yet applied, and intend to lay in their Claims, may do ſo as ſoon as poſſible; and that all ſuch Widows whoſe Claims have been already allowed, may ſend or bring to this Office, by the 31ſt of next Month, the Affidavits required by the Rules, in order to their being continued upon the Penſion or Bounty.

Navy Office, April 19, 1762.

The Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy give Notice, that on Friday the 30th of this Inſtant, at Ten of the Clock in the Morning, Commiſſioner Rogers will be ready at his Office in His Majeſty's Yard at Plymouth, to receive Tenders (ſealed up) from, and treat with, ſuch Perſons as are willing to ſupply that Yard with Brooms double, ſingle, and double with Staves, on a ſtanding Contract, that they may attend with their Propoſals at that Time.

Victualling-Office, April 26, 1762.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Monday the 26th of July next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to treat with ſuch Perſons as may be inclinable to undertake to ſupply Freſh Beef to ſuch of His Majeſty's Ships at may touch at Lisbon and be in Want thereof. The Conditions of the Contract may be ſeen at the Secretary's Office at this Office, or by applying to His Majeſty's Conſul at Lisbon.

Aſſurance-Office, Serjeants Inn, April 27, 1762.

A General Quarterly Court of the Corporation of the Amicable-Society for a Perpetual Aſſurance-Office, will be held at their Houſe in Serjeants-Inn, Fleet-Street, on Thurſday the 6th Day of May next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, for the Election of Directors for the Year enſuing.

John Pye, *Regiſter.*

Hoſpital for the Maintenance and Education of Expoſed and Deſerted Young Children.

The Annual General Meeting of the Corporation of the Governors and Guardians of this Hoſpital, appointed by the Charter, will be held on Wedneſday the 12th Day of May, 1762, at the ſaid Hoſpital in Lambs Conduit Fields, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning, for Electing, by Ballot, a Preſident, Six Vice Preſidents, a Treaſurer, a General Committee, and a Secretary, for the Year enſuing. And the ſaid Governors, in order to promote this Charity, having agreed to dine together once a Year, at their own Expence, have appointed the ſame Day, at Two o'Clock, for their dining together this Year in the ſaid Hoſpital; and the ſaid Governors, or any Gentleman inclined to dine with them, may have Tickets of the Steward of the ſaid Hoſpital.

T. Collingwood, *Secretary.*

Note, *On this Occaſion the General Committee meet on Tueſday the 11th of May, at Ten in the Morning.*

South Sea Houſe, London, April 22, 1762.

The Court of Directors of the South Sea Company give Notice, That a General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at this Houſe on Tueſday the 11th of May next, between the Hours of Ten in the Forenoon and Four in the Afternoon, to elect a Deputy-Governor of and for the ſaid Company, in the room of Lewis Way, Eſq; choſen Sub-Governor.

Hand-in-Hand Fire Office.

The Directors give Notice, That a General Meeting of the Members of the ſaid Society will be held at their Office in Angel Court on Snow Hill, on Thurſday the 13th Day of May next, at Three in the Afternoon.

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ELizabeth Counteſs of Home, Widow, Relict and Adminiſtratrix of the Right Honourable William Earl of Home, deceaſed, who was late Governor of Gibraltar, having great Reaſon to apprehend that conſiderable Parts of the ſaid Earl's Perſonal Eſtate and Effects have been tranſmitted from Gibraltar to England, to one or more Perſon or Perſons; and in Particular that ſeveral Foreign Horſes, which were the Property of the ſaid late Earl, have been alſo ſent to England, and which have not come to the Hands of the ſaid Counteſs: If there be any Perſon or Perſons who can make any Diſcovery relating thereto, and will make the ſame known to the ſaid Counteſs of Home in Hanover Square, ſhall receive ample Satisfaction for making ſuch Diſcovery.

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